

## DECISION ANNOUNCED

Commerce Commission Settles  
Peavey Elevator Case.

## AGAINST RAILROAD COMPANY

Arrangement Between the Union Pacific and Peavey Elevators Held to Be Unlawful—Amounted to the Granting of a Rebate.

Washington, April 19.—In what is known as the Peavey elevator case the interstate commerce commission has announced its decision against the Union Pacific Railroad company. The commission holds that the arrangement between the Union Pacific and the Peavey elevators was unlawful as it was in excess of the actual cost of the elevation of the grain and therefore a rebate.

The decision was prepared by Commissioner Harlan and his opinion was concurred in by a majority of the commission. Commissioners Clements and Lane, however, filed dissenting opinions.

The proceeding was entitled "In the matter of allowances to elevators by the Union Pacific Railroad company." It was a subject of investigation by the commission on its own motion prior to June 25, 1904, on which date the commission on the evidence then before it decided that there had been no violation of law.

Subsequently, in July, 1906, on petition of certain railroads interested in the grain traffic of the Northwest the case was reopened and much additional testimony was taken. The case was then argued at great length before the commission and briefs were filed by counsel representing all parties in interest. Upon this record and the record of the previous proceeding, the commission's decision is based.

Commissioner Harlan's Opinion. The opinion of Commissioner Harlan defines elevation as unloading grain from cars or vessels into an elevator and loading it out again inside of ten days.

Elevation must be open to all shippers on equal and reasonable terms. A carrier may either construct and operate the elevator itself or furnish elevation service by arrangement with an owner of an elevator; and the amount of compensation paid by the carrier to the owner of an elevator rendering the service is of no concern to shippers or to other carriers unless it operates to affect the rates charged by the carrier upon the grain traffic or by some device a portion of the allowance is returned to shippers and thus becomes a rebate. The opinion concludes as follows:

"An allowance made to a shipper of grain who furnishes elevation service under an arrangement with a carrier is a rebate and an unlawful discrimination when it involves a profit over and above the actual cost to such shipper of the service rendered. It is not a rebate when the allowance does not so exceed the actual cost. The arrangement between the Union Pacific Railroad company and the Peavey elevators at Council Bluffs and Kansas City is not in itself unlawful. But the allowance of 1 1/4 cents per 100 pounds paid by the railroad company to these elevators controlled by the Peavey interests, who are large shippers of grain and own practically all the grain

going into the elevators, is in excess of the actual cost of the service and is a rebate and therefore unlawful.

"The commission orders that the allowance by the Union Pacific Railroad company to the Peavey elevators shall be reduced and shall not exceed 3/4 of a cent per 100 pounds, such order taking effect on June 1, 1907."

## BIG DISCREPANCY EXISTS

Accounts of Wisconsin University Said to Be Short.

Madison, Wis., April 19.—A startling report that a discrepancy of \$400,000 exists in the accounts of the University of Wisconsin is being circulated at the capitol.

Several months ago the university regents put a New York expert to work on the books. Recently the expert made a report to the regents. President Van Hise said that there was absolutely no suspicion of any misappropriation of funds but admitted that there has been failure properly to charge up certain investments to their proper accounts. When the report was circulated at the capitol President Van Hise immediately came to the state house in person. He explained as best he could the details of the alleged \$400,000 discrepancy.

The matter probably will be investigated by the legislature. The university affairs were investigated by a special legislative committee last year but this alleged discrepancy escaped the notice of the investigators.

## STOLEN MONEY RECOVERED

St. Paul Robber Confesses and Tells Where He Hid It.

St. Paul, April 19.—The police recovered all the \$25,000 stolen Tuesday night from the union depot office of the Northern Express company when Clerk Fred Zimmerman was forced to open the safe. John Gunderson, who was arrested soon after the hold up, confessed and told where he hid the money. He went with the police officers and officers of the express company and the entire amount was found.

"I am going to plead guilty when they take me into court," said Gunderson. "I am going to take my medicine. There's nothing else to do. There is nobody else to blame."

Gunderson insists that he did not mean to hold up the express office when he went there; that it was not even in his mind when he sent the porter for the whiskey. He was drunk, he says, and the robbery was a drunken freak.

If the charge against Gunderson is made highway robbery he may get a ten-year sentence.

Most of the money was hidden in places near the Jackson street shops of the Great Northern. Gunderson broke the package and distributed the \$25,000 among four places.

## TERRORIZED THE TOWN.

Safe Blowers Wrecked the Bank at Weston, Ill.

Peoria, Ill., April 19.—Safe blowers wrecked the Bank of Weston at Weston, Ill., fifty miles east of this city, with three separate charges of dynamite. About \$2,000 was secured and the robbers escaped after holding the entire town in a state of terror more than an hour.



NEVER MIND what old fashioned people tell you, style and comfort can live together in a pair of shoes. The Dorothy Dodd shoe proves it is the utmost height of style, yet it is the most comfortable shoe ever made. You must see the new models we have just received, they are the handsomest that have been out for many years. Come in now and get first choice.

\$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00

**Frank Drosky**  
STORE OF QUALITY



## More New Garments at "Michael's"

"If you saw our display a week ago you have much more newness to see for we received a number of new garments during the week. You never see old things at 'MICHAEL'S'; there is a constant receiving of things new. You will be interested in the new coats, for we believe that we have shown nothing to equal them; particularly the two and three button tight fitting garments and the exceptionally jaunty box coats. We are also in receipt of some very dressy long black panama and broadcloth coats, made up in a very desirable way. You must not forget our suits; at \$15.00 we show you an excellent garment and from that to \$30.00. Do not buy a garment unless you see ours—there are two reasons; First—Our styles are unequalled and then our prices are most reasonable."

OUR NEW COMBS, BELTS, NECKWEAR and similar dress accessories are much admired. If you want something new in this line, see what we show Saturday. We will have the best display of all things Saturday that we have ever shown.

**H. F. Michael Co.**

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## DEATH LIST IS LARGE

One Hundred Persons Killed by Earthquake in Mexico.

## THICK, SULPHUROUS ODOR

Permeated the Air for Many Miles After the First Shock and Caused Great Distress Among Many of the Survivors.

City of Mexico, April 19.—The Associated Press is now in direct communication with a number of towns situated in the district most affected by the recent earthquake.

From recent telegrams from these places it is now certain that the death list will exceed 100. There are a number of small towns yet to be heard from but up to date the average number of fatalities at these places has ranged from 9 to 12 and the number of injured from 30 to 40.

Through an error made in the transmission of a telegram from the city of Chilapa, a city in the state of Guerrero, which was almost totally destroyed, the telegram was made to read that 38 bodies had been taken from the ruins and 779 injured had been transferred to the hospitals.

Later the telegram was corrected to read 32 persons were injured and 779 buildings destroyed.

One peculiar phenomenon which has just been made known is after the first great shock the air was filled for

many miles with a thick, sickening sulphurous odor. This caused great distress to the survivors. There are many speculations as to the cause of the peculiar freak of nature and some consider it as a proof that the earthquake had its origin in some subterranean explosion. For this reason considerable anxiety will be felt until news is received from the sections surrounding the active volcanos of Colima and Jurello.

Even the water in the streams was made sulphurous.

The total loss of property at Chilapa, including the cathedral, the various churches, the city hall and other buildings, amounts to over \$2,000,000.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The death is announced in London of William Brodrick Viscount Middleton. He was born in 1830.

Governor Warner of Michigan has signed the 2-cent fare bill, which becomes effective in September.

Count von Schwerin, former councillor of the German embassy at Vienna, has been appointed German minister to the republics of Central America.

Miss Ethel Geraldine Rockefeller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Rockefeller, and Marcellus H. Dodge were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in New York city.

## Storm at Jacksonville.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 19.—A severe wind and hail storm struck Jacksonville, doing considerable damage. The tug Annie B capsized and Captain Sloan was drowned. The driver of a milk wagon was killed by a live wire.

## Louisiana Negro Lynched.

New Orleans, April 19.—A long distance telephone message from Clinton, La., said that the negro who was accused of attempted assault on a woman has been lynched about eight miles from town.

## Earthquake at Manila.

Manila, April 19.—Two severe earthquake shocks were felt here Friday morning. No damage is reported.

The next few days at our store will be days of joy for Bargain Seekers. Our bargain counters will be filled to overflowing with choice articles of merchandise that you are used to paying more money for.

**10 CENT SALE**

Don't miss this chance as we will offer some rare Bargains that you should not and MUST NOT miss

So Call Early Before the Biggest Bargains are Sold

**LUKEN'S  
BIG STORE**



Always the Same

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One Year strictly in advance.....Four Dollars



FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1907.

### LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

New spring coats at "Michael's."

L. Severence, of Aitkin, was in the city last night.

Frank Prindle has been in the city today on business.

Strawberries at Cale's.

Order your awnings from D. M. Clark & Co. 235tf

Charles La Du, of Pine River, was in the city this forenoon.

Thomas Halladay went to Swanville this morning on business.

W. A. Benzer, of Elk River, was in the city last night on business.

Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 185tf

G. O. Fisk, of Motley, was a Brainerd visitor yesterday afternoon.

E. Batcheller, of Pequot, was in the city last night transacting business.

Strawberries at Cale's.

Wm. Doust and August Mitella, of Hellsburg, were in the city yesterday.

Money to loan on improved farms. J. M. Hayes, agent, 910 Front street. 263tf

Emory Scott is now running on the St. Paul passenger, Engineer McLagan being off on a vacation.

John L. Costes, of St. Paul, returned home today after a visit to Brainerd to look after his business interests.

Our cook book is worth asking your grocer for, or write to us. Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder Co., Minneapolis.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.  
LEWIS CHENEY, County Clerk.  
I, Frank J. Cheney, make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY, sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Old papers for sale at this office.

Strawberries at Cale's.

J. D. La Chance, of Little Falls, arrived in the city yesterday to visit his daughter, Mrs. C. F. Beugnot for a few days.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Baptist church will give a supper Saturday night at Walker's hall. All are invited to attend.

John L. Davis, of 1218 Pine street, won the first gold watch in the Gold Dust drawing at H. P. Dunn & Co.'s Wednesday afternoon.

You'll never know how good a cook you are, or how easy to make good biscuit or cake, until you have used Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder.

N. F. Nelson, of Little Pine, was in the city yesterday laying in a supply of provisions for the McKinley cedar drive for which he has the contract.

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Get your fire insurance from Smith Bros., Sleeper Block. Telephone 174. 238tf

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April 24 and 25.

Isaac Donavan, of Hellsburg, was in the city last night and left for his home this morning with a manure spreader. The machine was a curiosity to many and attracted much attention on the street. It is stated that there has been but one sold in Crow Wing county prior to this.

Store your stoves and household goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 235tf

Mrs. Geo. Sullivan and John Ripplinger returned last night from Chippewa Falls, Wis., where they had been to attend the wedding of their sister, Miss Agnes Ripplinger and Mr. John Kuhn. Miss Ripplinger visited in Brainerd last summer and made a number of friends who will wish her much joy. The newly wedded couple will reside in Stanley, Wis.

### CAPTURED AFTER TWO YEARS

H. A. Rider Secures Indian who has Been Evading Officers for the Past Two Years

Duluth News-Tribune.—After a man-hunt lasting nearly two years, Ah-nah-quod, an Indian, was arrested at Little Falls, Minn., by H. A. Rider, United States deputy marshal, and was brought to Duluth yesterday. The Indian was indicted by a federal grand jury, July 1905, for taking whiskey to Indians on the Leech Lake reservation.

A bench warrant was issued for Ah-nah-quod but the noble red man succeeded in eluding officers of the government until Marshal Rider apprehended him.

Several times in the period elapsing between the issuance of the bench warrant and his arrest he was closely followed by government operatives and he had several narrow escapes from arrest. The natural wiliness attributed to the Indian stood him in good stead, it is said, and enabled him to trick his pursuers.

In default of bail in the sum of \$500 the Indian was committed to jail to await action of the federal court at the July term.

Strawberries at Cale's.

## The Verdict of the Ladies OCCIDENT Flour

is the best of all

### A PLEASANT SESSION

Aurora Lodge: Raised T. a. c. Candidates to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason Thursday Evening

Aurora Lodge No. 100 A. F. & A. M. held a very pleasant session Thursday evening, the sublime degree of a Master Mason being conferred upon George L. Forsythe, Joseph Midgley and Jacob Strickler, Jr. One somewhat unusual feature of the ceremonies was the reading of the charge to the candidates by the father of one and the adopted father of another. George Forsythe, Sr., who is one of the leading Masons of Minnesota, was present and delivered the charge very impressively. After the ceremonies were complete Mr. Forsythe was called upon by Worshipful Master J. P. Anderson to say a few words to the lodge and he spoke of the gratification it was to him to see his son and Joseph Midgley, his adopted son, become members of the order to which he had belonged for 42 years. He gave the new members, and through them the entire lodge, some good and timely advice that was well worth hearing and remembering.

After the close of lodge the ladies of the Eastern Star served a delightful lunch which was enjoyed by about 50 members of the order who were present.

There are many tonics in the land, As by the papers you can see; But none of them can equal Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. H. P. Dunn & Co.

### AMUSEMENTS

The Ladies Musical club has arranged for a song recital to be given April 24. Miss Beatrice Gjertsen is a Minneapolis girl and has studied abroad for three years under the best teachers. Her voice is a rich soprano and Brainerd concert-goers may look forward to a rare treat. The following testimonials have been received by Miss Gjertsen: "Miss Gjertsen is a beautiful girl of twenty years and her voice is truly a marvel. That she was appreciated abroad is evident by her having in possession an offer from the director of the Royal Opera in Dresden to put her in grand opera at once. Her voice is that rare combination, a clear soprano with a tremendous volume and carrying power."—Minneapolis Tribune.

"Miss Gjertsen's voice has always been remarkable for its strength and purity. Her work abroad has put the finishing touches to her training."—Minneapolis Journal.

## JOHN L. DAVIS

of 1218 Pine Street

held the lucky number at the first drawing of coupons from Gold Dust Flour Sacks, and was given a beautiful gold watch.

The next drawing will take place on Tuesday, May 3. Coupons given only with

## GOLD DUST FLOUR

Buy a sack to-day. Your money back if not the best Flour in the city. For sale by the following dealers:

Brockway & Parker,  
Scandia Co-Op. Mercantile Co.  
Bredenberg & Erickson,  
C. W. Koering,  
J. W. Koop,  
A. K. Luken, Mann Bros.

K. W. Lagerquist,  
O'Brien Mercantile Co.,  
O. S. Swanson,  
McGinn & Smith,  
H. Turcotte & Son,  
A. Hallquist.

The name of the person who draws the next watch will appear in this column. If you have any certificates that you have not deposited by the 17th be sure and save them as there will be another drawing in about ten days or two weeks.

We claim! GOLD DUST FLOUR will bake from sixteen to twenty more Loaves of Bread per barrel than any other flour.

It is today the most popular flour sold in Brainerd, being used by about 75 per cent of the families of your city.

To show our appreciation of this magnificent patronage and to add to the present popularity of our flour, we are offering these premiums.

See the Watches  
on display at

H. P. Dunn's Drug Store

Order a Sack of

GOLD DUST FLOUR

today. Your dealer will refund your money if it doesn't please.

## Northwestern Milling Comp'y

By THE BRAINERD GROCERY CO.

### DEERWOOD GETS FISH HATCHERY

Senator Alderman's Bill Appropriating \$6,000 for Fish Hatchery at Deerwood

### HAS PASSED BOTH HOUSES

Bill will Certainly be Approved by the Governor—Alderman Does Good Work

THE DISPATCH received the following telegram from Senator S. F. Alderman this afternoon:

"St. Paul, Minn., April 19, 1907. Dispatch, Brainerd, Minn.

Hatchery bill has passed both houses. S. F. ALDERMAN."

The success of the fish hatchery bill is a distinct personal triumph for Senator Alderman as the chances were considered against another hatchery. Mr. Alderman was also assisted by the representatives from this district, Mr. Bouck having had charge of the bill in the house.

The bill provides for the erection of a fish hatchery on Serpent lake, at Deerwood and carries with it an appropriation of \$6,000. The bill is certain to be signed by the governor and Crow Wing county will have a fish hatchery in the near future.

### This May Interest You

No one is immune from Kidney trouble, so just remember that Foley's Kidney Cure will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

KIRK'S JAP ROSE toilet and bath soap—it is TRANSPARENT—so clear you can read through it. All druggists and grocers sell it.

### Dr. Haugh Electrocuted.

Columbus, O., April 19.—Dr. Oliver Crook Haugh of Dayton, O., convicted of the murder of his father, mother and brother at Dayton, O., on the night of Nov. 4, 1905, was electrocuted in the annex at the Ohio penitentiary.

Thousands have pronounced Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea the greatest healing power on earth. When medical science fails, it succeeds. Makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

**WAR** We have declared war on Mail Order Houses and we are preparing a vigorous campaign against them. We want the trade of the people of Brainerd and we are going to get it if fairness of price and the best qualities of goods merit it.

### Two-Ply All-Wool Carpets

All the latest patterns at ..... 65c per yard. Pick up your Mail Order Catalogue and you will find that their prices for the same quality carpet exactly is 64c per yard, you to pay the freight and take chances on securing the pattern and color that you like.

## D. M. CLARK & CO.

General Outfitters and Undertakers.

When you want good treatment, try the **RANSFORD BARBER SHOP**

Wanted, For Sale **THE DISPATCH** bring the desired result.

## Success in Fishing

Depends On The

kind and quality of Hooks, Lines, Reels and Rods you are using. If you will call and look at the complete line shown by M. K. Swartz, the Sixth street druggist, we can readily show you the

Superior Quality of Our Line

And our prices are right

A nice line of

Base Ball Goods for Men and Boys

For a short time we will make special prices on pipes.

## M. K. SWARTZ

6TH STREET DRUGGIST.

Place your want ads, for rent and or sale, the

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is the talk of the town. Watch it, and you will save money. Another big lot of special goods and

Your Choice for only **10c**

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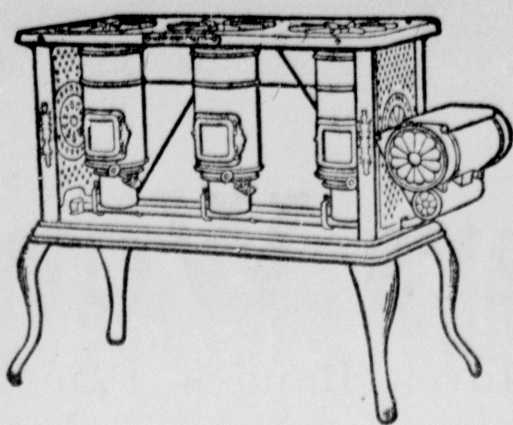
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Phone Call 82

214 7th St. So.





## Kitchen Comfort

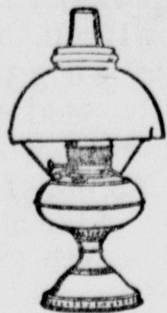
The combination of hot meals and a cool kitchen has always seemed an impossibility, yet this happy result is obtained wherever there's a New Perfection Oil Stove in the kitchen. The blue flame produced by the

## NEW PERFECTION Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

gives quickest and best results. The New Perfection is different from any other oil stove. Cuts fuel expense in two. Made in three sizes. Every stove warranted. If not at your dealer's, write our nearest agency for descriptive circular.

The **Rayo Lamp** can be used in any room and is the best and safest all-round house lamp made. Gives a clear steady light. Brass throughout and beautifully nicked. Equipped with the latest improved burner. Handsome—simple—satisfactory. Every lamp warranted. Write our nearest agency if you cannot get it from your dealer.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (INCORPORATED)



### BASEBALL SCORES.

National League.  
At Pittsburgh, 1; Chicago, 0.  
At Brooklyn, 3; New York, 0.  
At Philadelphia, 10; Boston, 8.  
American League.  
At Cleveland, 0; Detroit, 2.  
At Chicago, 2; St. Louis, 0.  
At Boston, 0; Washington, 4.  
At New York, 8; Philadelphia, 4.  
American Association.  
At Toledo, 10; St. Paul, 4.  
At Columbus, 6; Milwaukee, 0.  
At Indianapolis, 3; Minneapolis, 0.

## Indications of Paralysis

ALL nervous diseases are slow in coming on, and for this reason the victim often does not realize his danger until overtaken by prostration or paralysis.

Loss of interest in life, sleeplessness, irritability, failure of memory, inability to concentrate the mind, muscular weakness, indigestion, headaches, twitching of the nerves, feelings of depression and despondency are among the symptoms which tell of an exhausted nervous system and the approach of paralysis.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills stop the wasting process by which the nerve cells are being destroyed, and by forming new, rich blood and creating new nerve force positively and permanently restore the nervous system.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills, 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. The portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every box.

H. P. Dunn & Co.

### SHORT TALKS BY L. T. COOPER.

#### CONSTIPATION.

I can tell a person who is constipated in sight. Their complexion is pasty or yellow. Their eyes are dull, and they look and feel sleepy. No wonder they do. The bowels are a sewer. They carry away the poisonous refuse. If they don't act the poisonous matter is absorbed by the body, and headaches, dullness, bad complexion and eventually serious troubles result.



SAMUEL BOOREN.

There is no better rule for good health than that the bowels should move every day at the same hour if possible. Regularity can be acquired by making a habit of this. Foolish people neglect this and when chronic constipation effects them they take pills every few days to force the bowels to perform their natural function. As years go on they require more and more pills. This should be stopped. Cooper's New Discovery will build up the stomach and cause the bowels to act naturally. While taking the medicine get the habit of regularity, then gradually stop taking the medicine.

Here is a sample of letters from those who have tried it:

"For sixteen years I have suffered from stomach and liver trouble, and chronic constipation. I had frequent headaches and always felt tired and worn out. I read of Cooper's New Discovery and began its use. After I had finished one bottle I was wonderfully improved. Constipation gave way to a pleasing regularity of the bowels and I ate better, slept better and felt better than I had for months. It is the greatest medicine I have ever known." Samuel Booren, 1742 Munsey Ave., Scranton Pa.

Our customers who have used them say the Cooper medicines do the work. We sell them.

H. P. Dunn & Co.

### DEPTH OF DEATH VALLEY.

Measurement Shows It to Be Shallower Than Reported.

The United States geological survey has just completed a line of spirit levels through Death valley, California, and much to the surprise of every one familiar with the region has ascertained that the depth of that area is not so great as was supposed. The final computations of the results have not yet been made, but the preliminary figures give for the lowest point a depth of 276 feet below sea level. Bennett's well, which is near this point, is 260 feet below sea level. These figures may be altered by two or three feet when the final computations are made, but they are probably not more than three feet in error. The geological survey now has elevation marks on the highest and lowest points of dry land in the United States.

It is a strange coincidence that these two extremes are both in southern California and only seventy-five miles apart. Mount Whitney is a foot or two over 14,500 feet above sea level, while Death valley, as above stated, is 276 feet below. Before the Salton sink, also in southern California, was flooded by the Colorado river it contained the lowest point of dry land in the United States, a spot 287 feet below sea level.

Previous estimates of the depth of Death valley, based on barometer readings, gave for the lowest point figures varying from 250 to 450 feet below sea level. The level line of the geological survey is believed to be the first accurate determination of elevations in that locality that has ever been made.

### SHOT BY HIS WIFE.

Wisconsin Man Wounded While Walking With Another Woman.

Janesville, Wis., April 19.—George Schumacher, a painter, was shot on the street here by Florence Dugan, who claims to be his wife, while he was walking with Meta Smith of Rome, Wis. Schumacher is not expected to live. Both women were arrested.

### Killed by Her Little Son.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 19.—Mrs. Mary Gardner was shot and killed by her five-year-old son who was playing with his father's shotgun, which was accidentally discharged.

### Heavy Snow in Michigan.

Bessemer, Mich., April 19.—The snow storm which started in this section April 16 is still raging. At present there is about thirty-eight inches of snow on the level.

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## RICH MAN ARRESTED

Prominent Philadelphian Taken Into Custody in New York.

### TWO CHARGES AGAINST HIM

Accused of Improper Conduct and Attempted Bribery of a Police Officer. Attorney for Defendant Declares It Is a Case of Blackmail.

New York, April 19.—Benedict Gimbel, a member of the firm of Gimbel Bros., proprietors of one of the largest department stores of Philadelphia, was arrested here and following arraignment in court held on the double charge of improper conduct and attempted bribery of a police officer. The latter complaint was preferred at the instance of the district attorney's office after Gimbel had been taken into custody and had, it was alleged, sought an illegal release. Unable to furnish immediate bail in the sum of \$6,000, Gimbel was committed to the Tombs.

The original complainant was the wife of a Wall street broker whose sixteen-year-old son, Iver Clark, was in the company of Gimbel when the latter was arrested.

When taken to the Tombs police court Gimbel sent for Attorney Daniel O'Reilly. Later when seen at his cell the prisoner appeared greatly agitated. It was, he said, his first experience behind the bars and the effect upon him was extremely disquieting.

"The arrest was a terrible mistake," he said, "but I do not want to say anything now until I have seen my lawyer again."

Gimbel, who is thirty-nine years of age, has a home in North Broad street, Philadelphia, of which city he is reputed to be a wealthy and influential citizen. Recently he had been staying at the Waldorf-Astoria in this city and had made the acquaintance of young Clark, who is a cripple living with his parents in West Fifty-seventh street. According to Assistant District Attorney Krotel, who presented the case in court, Mrs. Clark intercepted a note addressed by the prisoner to her son and containing an invitation.

### Objected to Influence Over Boy.

Objecting to the influence which the man appeared to have over her boy, the mother reported the matter to the district attorney's office and detectives were assigned to follow the two men when they met at the Cafe Martin.

Gimbel and his companion took a closed cab and drove up Fifth avenue followed by the detectives in an automobile. At Fifty-seventh street the carriage was halted and the arrest made. At this point Gimbel is alleged to have offered the detectives \$1,000 each for his immediate release. The officers demanded cash and as Gimbel did not have the ready money the party went to the banking house of Wolf Bros. & Co. where according to the second complaint Gimbel was identified and drawing a check for the amount proffered \$2,000 to the officers. He was told that a charge of attempted bribery would be added to the initial allegation.

According to the district attorney's office, Young Clark told of his acquaintance with the Philadelphian and kept the appointment at the suggestion of the police.

Later Gimbel was released, bonds for his appearance being furnished by friends, the identity of whom was not made public. Speaking later of his client's arrest, Mr. O'Reilly said:

"It is blackmail pure and simple. I don't want to mention any names, but that will be the defense."

### EARTHQUAKE ANNIVERSARY

Observed With Appropriate Services at San Francisco.

San Francisco, April 19.—While there was no general cessation of the work of rehabilitation, the first anniversary of the earthquake and fire which left this city a mass of ruins was observed by appropriate religious services and commemorative exercises by the building trades council and other organizations.

The crowning event of the day was the banquet of the Merchants' association at the Hotel Fairmont at which the material and civic regeneration of the city was discussed and faith expressed in a new and greater San Francisco.

The principal business streets were decorated with bunting and incandescent lights. Flags were flying everywhere and the dome of the city hall, still in a wrecked condition, was illuminated as on gala occasions "before the fire."

About 1,000 guests assembled at the Fairmont for the merchants' banquet. After a lengthy menu had been served, President Frank J. Symmes of the Merchants' association pressed an electric button which set aglow 2,400 lights on the dome of the city hall. President Symmes as toastmaster addressed the guests on "The City and the Merchants."

Among the other speakers were Governor Gillette and District Attorney Langdon.

### The Book of Mormon.

Lamoni, Ia., April 19.—At the Latter Day Saints' conference President Joseph Smith stated that the entire original manuscript of the Book of Mormon is in a safety deposit vault at Independence, Mo.

## POST SUCCEEDS WINTHROP

Formally Inaugurated Governor of Porto Rico.

San Juan, P. R., April 19.—Regis H. Post has been inaugurated governor of Porto Rico in succession to Beekman Winthrop, who retired to become assistant secretary of the treasury at Washington.

Chief Justice Quinones of the supreme court of the island administered the oath of office. The members of the supreme court, the executive council and the house of delegates attended in a body. The foreign consuls also were present, as were a large number of representative business and professional men from all parts of the island.

The ceremonies were opened by an invocation by the Right Rev. W. A. Jones, bishop of Porto Rico, after which Mr. Winthrop delivered a farewell address to the people of the island. At the close of his remarks the retiring governor was given a touching ovation.

Mr. Post is the fourth civil governor of this island since 1900, when Charles H. Allen was inaugurated. He is the 125th man to fill the governorship in the past 400 years.

At the conclusion of his inaugural address Mr. Post reviewed a parade of the military, the insular police and members of the navy, in which a number of school children also participated.

Mr. Post has been active in the administrative and political life of this island since his appointment to the position of auditor in 1903. He subsequently became secretary of Porto Rico and president of the executive council. His appointment as governor is generally approved. He is the author of no less than seventy laws for the insular government, the most important being the election law and the municipal tax law.

### MUELLER ACT INVALID.

Illinois Supreme Court Decides Chicago Street Railway Case.

Springfield, Ill., April 19.—The supreme court of Illinois has returned a decision declaring invalid the Mueller act, which authorized the city of Chicago to issue certificates for \$75,000,000 with which to purchase street railways, the certificates to be repaid out of the surplus earnings of the road under municipal ownership.

The court held that the act was unconstitutional as it would create an indebtedness beyond the constitutional ability of the city to incur. The supporters of the act maintain that the certificates would form a lien on the street railway property.

It was this act that the Chicago advocates of municipal ownership depended on to enable them to gain the ownership for the city of the street railways. The net result of the supreme court's finding is to delay indefinitely the acquisition by the municipality of the street car system for control or operation.

### JEROME INVESTIGATING.

Looking Into Report That a Thaw Juror Was "Approached."

New York, April 19.—The district attorney has begun the investigation of a report that one of the jurors in the recent trial of Harry K. Thaw had been "approached" by a policeman before the trial closed. Henry C. Beardsley, one of the jurors, had an interview with District Attorney Jerome at Jerome's office. Later it was announced that several other of the Thaw jurors would be asked to come to the district attorney's office and tell of anything they knew of the report in question.

It was reported that a policeman talked with a juror on one of the walks the jury took from the criminal courts building to the Broadway Central hotel.

### CONCEDE HER ELECTION.

Both Factions Admit Mrs. McLean Has Again Been Elected.

Washington, April 19.—While the vote of the continental congress for national officers of the Daughters of the American Revolution has not been announced, it is freely admitted by both factions that Mrs. Donald McLean has been re-elected as president general of the society. Mrs. McLean's supporters claim that the entire administration ticket will be elected by a large majority. The vote received by Mrs. Elizabeth Eleanor Howard of Alexandria, Va., who was nominated by the "insurgent" faction, her friends declare will make her the logical candidate to succeed Mrs. McLean at the next session of the congress.

### RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN.

Five Austrians Instantly Killed Near Ellis, Ia.

Denison, Ia., April 19.—The fast mail on the Illinois Central running from Fort Dodge to Omaha ran down a handcar near Ellis, twelve miles north of here, killing instantly five Austrians of a surfacing gang of the road. The day was stormy and there was no work. The five men took a handcar and went to Ellis to get a keg of beer for the crowd of some twenty men. Returning they were on a bridge when the train ran them down. The mangled bodies were brought here for preparation for burial.

### Trial of Binger Hermann.

Washington, April 19.—The prayers of the defense in the trial of Binger Hermann for destroying public records have been submitted. The case will probably not go to the jury until next week.

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### FIRST WORK HORSE PARADE.

New York to Honor and Protect the Faithful Laboring Beast.

For the first time in New York city a work horse parade will be held under the auspices of the Woman's auxiliary of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on Memorial day. The New York Work Horse Parade association was formally organized to carry on the event. If sufficient response is received by the leaders in this movement it is intended to make this horse show of the working animals an annual feature of New York life.

With the exception of London and Boston, where work horse parades have been held for several years, with marked results in better treatment of draft animals, New York will be the first of the larger cities of the world to attempt to carry out this work.

The parade will assemble at Washington square and march up Fifth avenue to Madison square, where it will be reviewed before the A. S. P. C. A. building, and medals, money prizes, badges, diplomas and blue ribbons given to the successful contestants. The rules of the competition have been framed to recognize, as the two chief points, length of service and evidence

of the best care and treatment in the horses entered. The work horses will be classified according to age and length of service under the ownership of the exhibitor or his predecessor in business. Every working horse, except c. b. horses, will be eligible to compete. Docked horses or those sick, lame or out of condition or unfit for work will be barred.

The value, action, style, youth or beauty of the work horse parade contestants will count less with the judges than their condition. The older horses will receive more consideration than the younger and perhaps more comely animals, provided they have grown old gracefully under good treatment and care. The judges will be instructed to consider the following points: First, does the horse go sound and breathe freely? Second, is he free from galls and sores? Third, is he in good hard working condition? Fourth, do his manners indicate that he has been kindly treated? Fifth, is his harness comfortable and well fitting?

One division of the parade will be open to horses owned and worked by exhibitors not less than fifteen years prior to the date of entry and another for horses not less than ten years in service.

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## NEW ANTI-PASS BILL

Senate Passes a Measure to Go Into Effect at Once.

### COMPLICATES THE SITUATION

Action of the Senate Likely to Tie the Anti-Pass Question in a Hard Knot With the Result That No Legislation May Be Enacted in That Line.

St. Paul, April 19.—The senate has again passed an anti-pass bill, but it is not the one passed by the house. The senate bill will go into effect upon its passage and will contain only one addition to the list of exemptions from the bill as it was passed by that body the first time. The only addition to the exemptions was that of widows and dependent children of employees of the railroads killed while in its service. There were fifty-six votes for the bill and none against it.

There is considerable speculation as to what the effect will be of the senate's passing practically a new bill and the prevailing opinion is that the senate's action is likely to tie up the anti-pass question in a hard knot, which will not be untied before the session closes next week. The opinion was expressed that the senate and the house will not be able to agree on the details of the measure and that the result may be that no anti-pass law is enacted at this session.

While some of the changes made by the senate are of minor importance, the house is expected to balk at some of them, notably the one that makes the law effective at once.

The bill provides that no person, except those especially exempted, shall directly or indirectly solicit or receive for any purpose any free pass or frank or any special privilege withheld from any person, for the traveling accommodation or transportation of any person or property or the transmission of any message or communication, but this shall not apply to any freight rates fixed by law or the railroad and warehouse commission.

#### List of Exempted Persons.

Those to whom the provisions of the act will not apply are bona fide officers, attorneys, surgeons and employees of railroad companies and members of their immediate families, widows and dependent children of employees killed in the service of the company and duly elected representatives of railroad labor organizations, bona fide representatives of religious and eleemosynary and charitable organizations, together with such indigent, helpless or homeless persons as may be in charge of such charitable organizations; the necessary caretakers of live stock, vegetables or fruits while traveling with the same and returning home; victims of wrecks, accidents, general epidemics, pestilence or other calamitous visitations, and persons engaged in the relief of such victims, and veterans of the Civil war, bona fide employees on sleeping cars, express cars and mail cars, United States mail agents and new boys on trains.

The capitol approach bill authorizing St. Paul to issue bonds not to exceed \$1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the ground and improving a suitable approach to the new capitol was passed in the senate. The bill has passed the house.

Under this bill the capitol approach proposition is made purely a St. Paul affair and all improvements made under it will be done at the expense of the city.

#### Primary Bills Killed.

The present system of nominating candidates for state offices in party conventions and of choosing delegates to those conventions by haphazard caucuses will be continued in Minnesota for another two years at least. The house killed both the Saugstad bill extending the primary system to state officers and the Dunn bill for the election of delegates to county conventions by a primary election system. Although the house members had previously voted by an overwhelming majority that they were in favor of extending the primary system to the state officers, they were unable to agree upon a plan that would suit the majority.

The bill introduced by N. J. Holmberg of Renville for the encouragement of the consolidation of rural schools was passed in the house under suspension of the rules. The bill originally appropriated \$50,000 to be given the first fifty rural schools consolidated under the bill. The appropriations committee reported the bill with the appropriation left out and some appropriation to be inserted in the omnibus bill. According to the bill not more than one school in any county can receive the aid.

The house passed the senate tax commission bill, the bill introduced by the senate tax committee as a substitute for the bill by G. P. Wilson of Minneapolis. The house amended the bill so as to continue the state board of equalization with the concurrent powers with the tax commission and in addition adopted an amendment giving the board of equalization the power of review over the acts of the commission as far as they relate to the valuation of property. The bill in its present form provides a commission of three members at a salary of \$4,000, to be appointed by the governor for six-year terms. They are given \$2,400 for a secretary and \$6,000 for the employment of experts and clerks.

## BUTLER ON JAPANESE.

Disagrees With President's Stand on the School Question.

Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, returned from his honeymoon trip to the Pacific coast full of impressions of San Francisco and California, says the New York Tribune. After personal observation Dr. Butler says that he disagrees with President Roosevelt's stand on the Japanese question. He believes that the people of San Francisco are fully justified in excluding them from their schools. Dr. Butler says most of the Japanese who try to enter the schools are grown men, and he thinks there is no doubt that the policy of placing them side by side with little children is bad.

"The California sentiment on the Japanese question has not been thoroughly understood in the east and has not been made entirely clear here," said Dr. Butler. "The whole school question, about which the recent discussion arose, turned in reality upon the admission or opposition of adult Japanese side by side with little children in the public schools learning the English language. As to the unwisdom of this there can hardly be two opinions. In southern California the sentiment appears to be very critical of San Francisco's position as to Japanese immigration as a whole and not in sympathy with it. Moreover, the people of San Francisco are by no means unanimous, and differing opinions are frequently expressed.

"The feeling against Japanese which has been voiced largely by the Japanese and Korean Exclusion league did not have a particularly creditable origin, but has been strengthened among certain classes who fear the Japanese as competitors. The more thoughtful Californians, however, believe that the so called problem of oriental immigration can be more satisfactorily settled on national rather than on local lines and thus conserve the best interests of the United States and the dignity of the people of China and Japan. The more violent expressions in regard to this matter seem to me to be the least representative."

Dr. Butler also told something of the process of rebuilding the city that is now going on.

"Knowing San Francisco as well as I did," he said, "having followed the fire by the dispatches and on the map, I was not prepared for the amount and completeness of destruction, nor was I at all prepared for the work done since the fire. Whole sections of the city, especially to the north and south, have been completely or almost completely rebuilt. The more fashionable and expensive residence sections have been practically untouched and remain just as when the fire left them. The business sections are rapidly rebuilding, although as yet nearly every important business house in San Francisco is in a temporary habitation."

## TWO CENT FARE POPULAR.

A Dozen States Have Reduced the Railroad Passenger Rate.

The following exhibit of passenger rate legislation the past winter, or within the past year, and rate reduction by decree of commission shows how generally the two cent standard, or an approximation to it, has been applied rigidly to the widely varying conditions of railroad travel in the United States:

Pennsylvania—Two cent bill passed by the house and is pending in the senate.

Ohio—Two cent law enacted last year.

West Virginia—Two cent bill passed.

North Carolina—Two and a quarter cent bill passed.

Alabama—Two and a half cent bill was passed.

Arkansas—Two cent bill passed.

Kansas—Two cent bill passed.

Nebraska—Two cent law enacted.

North Dakota—Two and a half cent bill passed.

South Dakota—Railroad commission authorized to order two and a half cent rate.

Indiana—Two cent bill passed.

Illinois—Two cent bill passed the house.

Missouri—Two cent bill passed.

Iowa—Two cent bill passed applying to roads earning \$4,000 a year gross per mile.

Minnesota—Rate of 2½ cents fixed by railroad commission.

#### An Appendicitis Scrapbook.

Probably the oddest scrapbook in New England is that of William F. Fernald of Old Orchard, Me. It is devoted exclusively to newspaper notices of appendicitis cases. Mr. Fernald figured in an operation himself, and it was a fellow feeling for the rest of the appendicitis legion which made him commence to collect clippings.

"A while ago," he said to a Boston Herald man, "I talked of organizing an appendicitis club in Maine, its members to be composed of persons who have been under the knife. A number of persons to whom I mentioned the project approved, but I didn't get around to carrying it into execution. I think I shall revive the scheme."

#### Baseball Days Are Near.

They are coming nearer, rooters; Nearer to us day by day. And in fancy now I hear you Shouting in the good old way: "Hit 'er out! A homer! Kill it!" Fans are yelling one and all. Once they hear the umpire calling: "Batter up! All right! Play ball!"

They are coming nearer to us. It will not be many days. Ere we'll have a chance for cheering As we see the lightning plays. So get ready for the opening—Oh, the magic of that call To the players from the umpire: "Batter up! All right! Play ball!" —James T. Sullivan in Boston Globe.

## DODDS HAS THE ODDS

Renegade Soldier Is a Dangerous Datto of the Malays.

### ARMY TRYING TO CATCH HIM.

Remarkable Tale of a Raw Recruit From Massachusetts Who Deserted to the Enemy in the Philippines and Keeps the Insurrection Active.

Advices from the Philippines tell of government difficulties because of one Datto Dodds, erstwhile Private Dodds, who was for some ten minutes a member of the Nineteenth United States Infantry. Until Dodds is dead or pacified they say there will be no peace in the Malay part of the islands, writes the Washington correspondent of the Kansas City Star.

Once they were bending all their efforts toward catching and hanging Private Dodds. Just now they are patiently trying to negotiate with him, or so the story runs. Dodds was ordinary enough appearing army material when a serpent tongued recruiting sergeant enlisted him at Boston some years ago. Shock headed, dull eyed, bull necked, deep chested, shambling in his gait, Dodds attracted no attention on the transport beyond the small notoriety of eating more and drinking more awkwardly than the rest.

But when he and his fellow rookies landed at Manila the Massachusetts factory hand kept right on marching from the end of the gangplank through Manila and out toward the violet green mountains, where lurked the restless insurgents.

A searching party found him and took him back. It was not believed he intended to desert, so he was not punished, but was sent, with eighty-eight other recruits, to join a battalion of the Nineteenth Infantry, then stationed in Cebu. Dodds glanced into his tent and kept on going. Another searching party looked in vain for him, and it was supposed he had been killed by natives. A little later there was a night attack by natives, and the voice of Dodds was heard urging the enemy to their work. Time and again this occurred, and Dodds always managed to get away.

Why Dodds joined the insurgents has never been explained. He may have been inoculated before enlistment with the anti-imperialistic virus of Edward Atkinson and other Boston friends of Aguinaldo, or it might have been some heritage of Norse pirate blood that blossomed in his brain under the oriental sun. The deeper mystery is how the untutored factory hand mastered a barbaric people and a more barbaric language in so short a time. The soldiers of the Nineteenth rejoiced when peace fell on Cebu and the insurgents agreed, as one of their terms, to surrender the white renegades and deserters among them. At last the outraged infantrymen would get their hands on Dodds, and a halter, too, but he was not among the renegades surrendered.

While the exact movements of Dodds from this point are a mystery, he is supposed to have fled by banca or lancha to Mindanao or Sulu. Subsequently he turned up in the household of Datto Tantiung, on Tawi Tawi Island, where he was said to have married a daughter of that potentate and to have been initiated by him and to have been raised to the rank of postmaster among dattos.

At any rate, Dodds wore the silk drawers, silver embroidered vests and arsenal sash of the Malays, did a little cautious pirating with his adopted nation perhaps and was satisfied to be separated from civilization and the cockpit, which, as George Ade says, follows the flag. Dodds had the making of a good Utah Mormon of the last generation, it seems, because in all his wanderings the native institution which he adopted first was the harem.

And everywhere he was the most unconstructed of all the rebels against his mother country. In time the deserter came to acquire something like belligerent right and privilege of treating with American authority like other dattos.

But the army has never lost its desire to catch Datto Dodds in a fight where the fierceness of the onslaught will make it convenient to overlook giving quarter. And Datto Dodds reciprocates by stirring up the Malays whenever expeditions and treaties have calmed them down to something like peace. Just now he is kicking up trouble again.

Meanwhile this hairy oaf of a New England factory town, silken clad, barbarously hung with pearls and weapons, reigns like a king or a feudal lord in an "Arabian Nights" setting, with the soft southern seas murmuring about his island and a host of fierce eyed, brown faced subjects bowing at his big feet.

#### An April Song.

Fellers, this is April, changeable and sweet. Listen in the meadows, you'll hear the world's heart beat. Don't you hear that mockin' bird strainin' of his throat? His lightest thrill, I tell you, beats a hundred dollar note!

Fellers, this is April! Just see his rosy ranks Marchin' to the conquest on the winter brightened banks! A curly headed captain in all the fields and glades, He's singin' in the fore front of his glitterin' brigades!

Fellers, this is April! See how his bright eyes glances! His steps are in the hills an' a sunbeam is his lance! Wild Winter flies before him with all his gloomy shades, The curly headed captain of the rosy, bright brigades! —Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

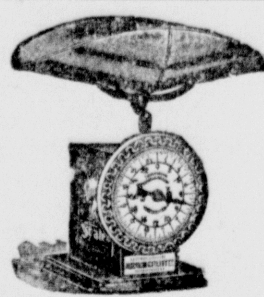
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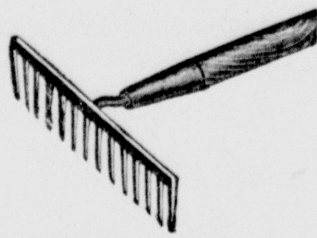
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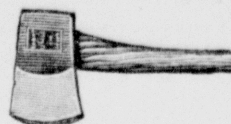
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Family Scales  
Worth \$1.75  
Sale Price... 87c



Rakes  
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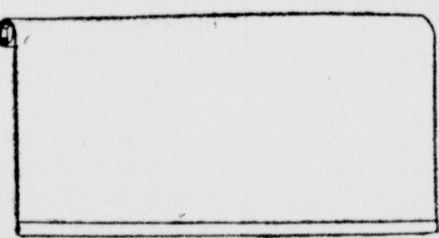
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First quality. Worth 50c  
Sale Price... 34c



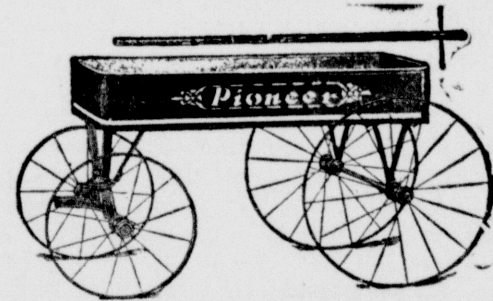
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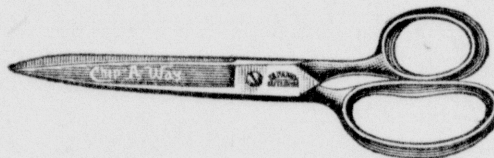
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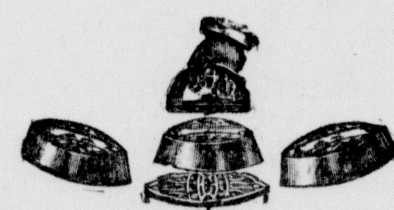
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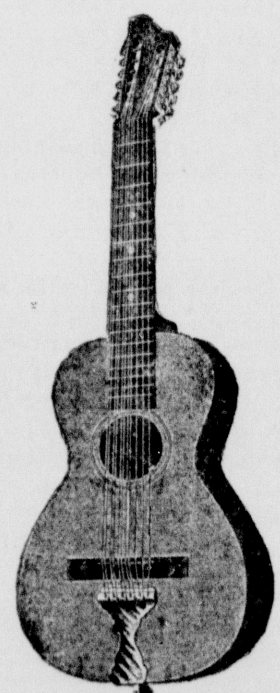
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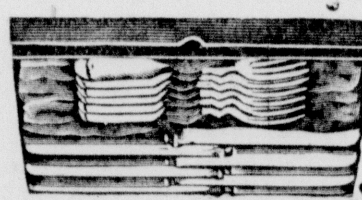
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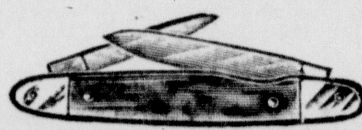
Mrs. Pott's ad irons  
3 irons, handle and stand, full nickle plate. Worth \$1.25 per set  
Sale Price... 88c



Guitar  
\$10.00 value  
Sale Price... \$4.99



Silver Plated  
Knives and Forks  
Worth \$2.50 per set  
Sale Price... \$1.53



Pocket Knives  
60, 70 and 75c quality  
Every one guaranteed  
Sale Price... 38c



Steel Range  
Former price \$40.00  
Sale Price... \$29.88

Wheelbarrows,  
Value \$2.00, sale price. \$1.47

Intermittent Alarm  
Clocks, \$2 value, for... \$1.37

Square Shovels, 60c value  
Sale price... 38c



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Cocoanuts, 5	8c	Prunes, good size per pound	5c
Cranberries, per quart	10c	Prunes, extra large per pound	13c
Pie Plant, per pound	6c	Soda Crackers, per pound	6c
Lettuce, 3 bunches for	10c	Ginger Snaps, per pound	6c
Radishes, per bunch	4c	Soap, 12 bars for	25c
Onions, per bunch	3c	Soap, Santa Claus 6 bars for	25c
Cabbage, solid heads	4c	Amonia, quart bottle	15c
Tea, 50c Jap. per pound	35c	Coffee, Whynot, our leader per pound	35c
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### WILL SET OUT

500,000 TREES

That Number of Seedlings are to be Set Out in the Pillsbury Forest Reserve

### WORK TO BEGIN AT ONCE

T. L. Duncan, of Northome, Passed Through Brainerd Today to Look After Work

There will be a half million of white and Norway pine and spruce seedlings set out at the Pillsbury forest reserve northwest of Gull lake this spring. These are trees that have been raised in the nursery at the reserve. They will be set out approximately four feet apart each way.

T. L. Duncan, of Northome, a forester in the employ of the state forestry board, and J. G. Carleton and G. J. Dauphinee, of the same place, were in Brainerd today enroute to the reserve. They expect the work to take at least three weeks and perhaps longer. Messrs. Duncan and Dauphinee went to Pillager on No. 11 to go out to the reserve, but Mr. Carleton remained over to visit his mother and his sister in this city. Mr. Carleton is a brother of Mrs. J. C. Schultz.

Mrs. S. Bowen, of Wayne, W. V., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Cure. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." Foley's Kidney Cure works wonders where others are total failures.—H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

Be sure and see this week's bargains in houses and lots for sale by Smith Bros. 26816

Notice—Knights of the Maccabees  
All Sir Knights of the Maccabees are requested to meet at Columbian hall at one o'clock on Sunday afternoon, April 21, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Sir Knight Andrew Olson.  
H. E. STEELE, JOHN A. HOFFBAUER, 2721f Record Keeper. Commander.

### CONFERENCE

### IN SESSION

Methodist Pastors of Brainerd District Now in Conference at M. E. Church

### THE ATTENDANCE IS LARGE

Rev. Joseph Hingley, and Dr. G. H. Bridgeman Will Speak This Evening

A large audience was on hand last evening at the Methodist Episcopal church to hear what the various speakers had to say relative to the themes assigned. Before the regular evening meeting opened, Harry F. Michael, of Brainerd, on behalf of the local church and city generally, gave a unique address of welcome to the visitors, which was fittingly responded to by Rev. Isaac Peart, of Bemidji.

There were three speakers last evening, all of whom gave most eloquent addresses, which greatly delighted the audience. Rev. J. T. B. Smith, of Akeley, spoke on "Personal Evangelism;" Rev. A. E. Cooke, Park Rapids, spoke on "The Old and the New in Evangelism;" Rev. W. H. Farrell, Little Falls, spoke on "Aggressive Evangelism," which was interspersed with some helpful singing.

This morning session commenced with a devotional exercise which was conducted by Rev. B. A. Barker of Sebeka. At the close of the devotional service, the Rev. Edgar K. Copper, presiding elder of the district, took the chair. Rev. Charles Fox Davis was elected secretary and Rev. J. T. B. Smith was elected treasurer. Dr. Copper then gave a brief address on "The Outlook For the Brainerd District," which gave full information of the aggressive work which had been done along all lines of the work of the churches.

The large increase in membership for the past six months is considered by some to be phenomenal. Independent of the large increase of membership on the Brainerd district, 5 new church buildings are going up, and in a little while several are to be dedicated.

The following is a list of ministerial delegates to the conference:

Rev. Isaac Peart, Bemidji; Rev. J. T. B. Smith, Akeley; W. A. McKenzie, Ft. Ripley; T. J. Chappell, Glenwood; Rev. B. Collins, Hewitt; Rev. W. H. Farwell and wife, Little Falls. Rev. J. J. Noe, Melrose; Rev. L. S. Koch, Motley; Rev. E. A. Cooke, Park Rapids; Rev. John Blackhurst, Royalton; Rev. T. G. Galbraith, Spencerbrook; Rev. R. G. Green, Verndale; Rev. H. H. Parrish, Wyoming; Rev. D. F. Thompson, Northome; Rev. Andrew Nelson, Brainerd; Rev. Karl B. Alexander, Walker; Rev. Geo. P. Watson and wife, Big Falls; Rev. W. A. Pringle, Wadena; Rev. R. Bell, Pine River.

Among the distinguished guests are: Rev. J. B. Hingley, D. D., of Minneapolis; Rev. Robert Forbes, D. D., of Philadelphia and W. S. McKenzie, of Park Rapids and C. F. Sheers, of the Akeley Tribune.

Dr. G. H. Bridgeman, president of Hamline university, arrived this afternoon to attend the conference and will make a short address tonight.

Space forbids the publication of the entire program for tomorrow. The morning session will partly be devoted to business matters, several papers and discussions will fill the balance of the time.

Saturday afternoon there will be several papers, among them one on "The Pulpit and the Press," by C. F. Speers, of the Akeley Tribune.

### A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe, coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.—H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

### PROBABLY FATALLY HURT

Woman Lost Both Arms by Fall From Freight Train at Randall Late Wednesday Afternoon

A woman whose name could not be learned was probably fatally injured by freight No. 57 at Randall, on the cut off, Wednesday afternoon. She was, according to reports received here, standing on the rear end of the caboose, being on her way to Little Falls. The train stopped suddenly throwing her to the track. The slack of the train forced the caboose onto her, cutting off both her arms. She was taken onto the train and carried to Little Falls, but it was not thought she could survive.

### How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes.—H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

### STATEMENT CORRECTED

In an Issue of The Daily Dispatch a Statement is Made Which is Found to be Untrue

In the headlines and body of an article which appeared in THE DAILY DISPATCH of April 8th an injustice was done Howard Dickinson, the statement being made that Isaac Fraser had been held up and robbed, and while Mr. Dickinson's name was not used in the article that day the following issue of the paper contained the statement that he had been arrested charged with robbery. Later events showed that Mr. Dickinson was in no way guilty of the offense charged and THE DISPATCH desires to set him right before the public by making the explanation that the article published made the flat statement, taking the word of the man who claimed to have been robbed, instead of investigating fully. The Age, published at Aitkin, where Mr. Dickinson is well and favorably known says:

Dickinson's story was that Fraser gave him the watch as security for a debt of \$6. Dickinson is quite well known in Aitkin and is a member of the local Masonic lodge. He has always bore a good reputation and the case was dismissed as the evidence and circumstances were not sufficient to make a case against him in the judgment of the court.

### The New Pure Food and Drug Law

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults.—H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

### Board of Health Order

Notice is hereby given to owners of or residents on any property in the City of Brainerd that they are required to remove all accumulations of manure, garbage and other refuse before the 5th day of May 1907, from all alleys or lots under their supervision. Cellars and privy vaults must be thoroughly cleaned.

Any person who allows any accumulation of manure, decayed animal or vegetable matter or other nuisance upon premises in his possession or under his control, beyond above date, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and will be dealt with according to the statute provided.

Dumping of refuse in the streets not allowed.

By order Board of Health.  
R. A. BEISE, Chairman  
26916

### STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS

Mrs. Mary J. Halsted, Mother of Tribune Editor, Suffered Two Strokes

—Is 83 Years of Age

Mrs. Mary J. Halsted, mother of Hon. A. J. Halsted, editor of the Brainerd Tribune, was stricken with paralysis Wednesday last. She suffered two slight strokes, and being 83 years of age her recovery is doubtful, although she is somewhat improved today. She has been a woman of extreme mental vigor for her age and up to her present sickness was able to read evenings without spectacles and took great interest in current affairs. While her relatives feel encouraged at her improvement they are not at all sanguine of complete recovery because of her age.

### An Insidious Danger

One of the worst features of kidney is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes.—H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

### NORTH LONG LAKE.

Rev. J. F. McLeod will preach in our school house Sunday at 3 p. m.

County Supt. Wilson and Rev. Brown were calling on some of our neighbors and the school one day last week.

H. C. Hughey returned from Esdon Friday.

P. T. Taylor was down to Hughey's feed mill to get some seed corn Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Johnston and children spent Sunday in Brainerd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thompson spent Sunday at Wallace Smith's.

Duncan Thompson came down from White Fish Saturday and went back Sunday.

J. Edgar Hughey is helping his uncle Angus for a few days.

Preston Caughey was visiting at Thompson's the first of the week.

Wallace Smart was a North Long Lake caller Wednesday.

Vivian Andersen commenced teaching at Neutral Monday.

Lilly B. Myers was a Brainerd caller Saturday.

J. A. Peterson, of Esdon, was a North Long Lake caller the last of the week.

Mrs. R. B. and Mrs. L. Thompson were calling on Mrs. Hughey Friday.

Angus Murray was a North Long Lake caller Sunday.

Ethel F. Chase and Mrs. Hughey were Brainerd callers Saturday.

Sunday school promptly at 2 p. m. Sunday.

COUNTRY COUSIN.

## A. E. MOBERG

218 South Seventh Street.

## Special Handkerchief Sale

For tomorrow Saturday

The best and greatest bargains of the season on sale all day.

### Ladies' Handkerchiefs

100 dozen ladies fine sheer embroidered initial handkerchiefs; also embroidered corner also all linen hemstitched—Special bargains at 10c, on sale Saturday.....5c

### Ladies' Handkerchiefs

50 dozen ladies' fine sheer all linen hemstitched handkerchiefs; also ladies' fine mourning handkerchiefs—Special bargains 25c and 15, on sale Saturday.....12 1/2c

## Closing Shoe Prices

Ladies' best makes fine shoes \$1.00 and \$3.50—to close....\$2.45  
Ladies' best makes fine shoes \$3.00 and \$2.75—to close....\$1.95  
Men's best makes fine shoes \$5.00—to close.....\$3.50  
Men's best makes fine shoes \$4.00 and \$3.50—to close....\$2.45  
Boys' best makes and wear \$2.00 shoes—to close.....\$1.65  
Children's best Red School House shoes—to close.....\$1.45

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Every thing You Need in House Cleaning

616 Laurel St.,

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I have placed TEN BICYCLES that will be sold for HALF THEIR REAL VALUE in order to get the cash. Call and inspect and order one until pay day.

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## TO KEEP WARM

Take a nip of the real stuff, liquor that is guaranteed to be

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## It's Time to Clean Up

We can sell you the tools

Wheelbarrows.....	\$1.75 to \$3.00
Rakes.....	20c to 60c
Lawn Rakes.....	50c
Hoes.....	25c to 50c
Spades and Shovels.....	65c

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608 FRONT STREET

## Collegian

present and we have the best goods obtainable and are pricing them right.

### Clothing.

We are showing the nobby 'Collegian' line of young men's clothes this year. They are the nobbiest, best cut and best tailored line on the market today and are made not only to look well but to wear well and to look well until worn out. We show out of one of the handsome single breasted styles of the Collegian clothes and have them in a variety of single and double breasted sacks all in nobby fits and handsome weaves, and tailored in the best possible manner. If you want something just as nobby as the local tailor can make at much less money call and inspect this line.

### Shoes.

Our line of shoes is superb this year. It is headed by the well known Packard Shoe. It is hardly necessary to say more than 'Packard' they are so standard a make. The price is marked plainly on every pair by the manufacturer and you know you are getting your money's worth. We also have a large line of other makes of shoes, rubbers, etc., including a fine assortment of driving and cruising shoes from the best factories in the country.

### Gent's Furnishings

In this line we are not to be excelled. Our line of neckties, collars, shirts, both dress and working, are complete. In fact we can take a naked man and dress him from top to toe suitably for any situation from driving on the river to attending a swell reception.

Do not forget to call and see us in our new quarter and inspect our stock whether you wish to buy or not.



Remember the Place

# JOHN CARLSON, The Clothier

in our New Quarters

608 FRONT STREET

### WILL BE INVESTIGATED.

Charges That Chicago Police Collect Immunity Money From Dives.

Chicago, April 18.—Charges that the police department of Chicago has been collecting immunity money from dives, disorderly resorts and gambling houses in various parts of the city are to be investigated by the civil service commission. That the investigation by the commission of corruption in the department will go further than was the original intention when the matter of the men being requested to subscribe to a campaign fund during the recent election was begun a week ago was shown during the examination of Captain Gibbons of the Central police station. After testifying that he had collected \$2,500 from the men under him for the promotion of Mayor Duane's candidacy for re-election, Captain Gibbons was asked by the commission to tell what he knew of the practice of protecting disorderly houses. The proprietors of which had been paying for immunity. Captain Gibbons pleaded ignorance.

### DANGER IN DELAY

Kidney Diseases are too Dangerous for Brainerd People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined. Backache, head ache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease follow in merciless succession. Don't neglect your kidneys. Cure the kidneys with the certain and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills, which has cured people right here in Brainerd.

Mrs. S. Crain, of 601 S. 10th St., Brainerd, Minn., says: "I could not do otherwise than endorse Doan's Kidney Pills and time after time I have recommended them to persons suffering from kidney troubles. I learned the value of this remedy through experience. When I first got Doan's Kidney Pills at H. P. Dunn & Co.'s drug store I was suffering from severe symptoms of kidney complaint. There was a constant dull aching in my back and the kidney secretions were irregular and distressing. From both these causes my rest was broken at night and in the morning I was usually languid and all tired out. Doan's Kidney Pills made a great change in my condition and after continuing the treatment I was so vastly improved that I felt warranted in recommending this remedy through the local papers. I have never changed my mind about Doan's Kidney Pills and have also found that Doan's Ointment is unequalled for itching and bleeding hemorrhoids. Both these preparations should be known to every sufferer."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

that such a state of affairs existed and was excused. The commission said that several other witnesses who had been subpoenaed to appear before them, would be asked to tell what they know about the charges that the police department was guilty of accepting "protection money."

Captain Gibbons in his testimony corroborated the evidence already secured by the commission from other inspectors and captains relative to campaign assessments.

### MEETS WITH APPROVAL.

Budget Statement of British Chancellor of the Exchequer.

London, April 19.—In a house crowded in every part and with the Prince of Wales in the peers' gallery, Chancellor of the Exchequer Herbert Asquith in an able two-hours' speech delivered the budget statement, which, if not rivaling the great financial achievements of his famous predecessors, Gladstone and Harcourt, has the merit of extreme simplicity in its main features. Judging by the debate which followed, this statement will meet with a greater degree of general approval and less sectional antagonism than usually falls to the lot of budget statements. Briefly, instead of an estimated deficit of \$230,000 for 1906-07, Mr. Asquith has realized a surplus of \$26,995,000, while for 1907-08 he estimates the surplus about \$17,165,000. His proposals are not for a reduction in indirect taxation, but provide relief from the burden of the income tax by preferential treatment of earned incomes below \$10,000 a year to the extent of 6 cents for every \$5. To compensate for the loss from this measure he proposes that the death duties be increased.

The chancellor promised an old age pension scheme for next year, and sets aside \$7,500,000 for this purpose. The unusually brief debate which followed Mr. Asquith's statement was devoid of any particularly interesting feature. Most of the speakers complimented the chancellor on his able speech and the Conservatives had little criticism to offer. Austin Chamberlain, Liberal Unionist, declared Mr. Asquith had disclosed how limited were the resources of taxation under the present system and how inadequate the present basis of taxation to provide means for the reforms which all parties desired to see undertaken.

James Ramsey MacDonald, Labor and Socialist member, voiced the disappointment of the labor party at the failure to introduce a pension scheme and declared the relief from the income tax would benefit only the middle classes.

John E. Redmond and other Nationalists said privately they were dissatisfied that there was no change in indirect taxation, which presses very heavily upon Ireland.

### FORCES BEING WITHDRAWN

Invading Nicaraguan Army Departing From Honduras.

Washington, April 19.—Senor Corea, the Nicaraguan minister, has received a telegram from President Zelaya stating that the Nicaraguan forces were being withdrawn from Honduran territory. The administration of affairs has been entrusted by the victors to the provisional government of Honduras, and President Zelaya expressed the belief that a permanent peace would result.

Senor Corea's advices confirm the Associated Press dispatches to the effect that peace negotiations are in progress at Amapala between representatives of Nicaragua and Honduras.

### FOUR CHILDREN CREMATED

Their Parents Fatally Burned in Trying to Save Them.

Charlotte, N. C., April 19.—Four children of Mrs. W. H. McDade at Henrietta, Rutherford county, were burned to death in their dwelling. Mother and father were fatally burned in efforts to rescue the little ones.

## WANTS.

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one-half cent for subsequent insertions, strictly cash in advance, unless advertiser has ledger account with the office, but no ad will be taken for less than 10 cents.

WANTED—A good girl at the Palace Hotel. 250tf

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished rooms in the Pearce block. 271tf

FOR RENT—Property at 224 N. 6th St. Call Tuesday and Wednesday. 269tf

WANTED—A good girl at 617 5th street South. Mrs. F. M. Swenson. 269tf

FOR RENT—6 room house at 1301 Pine street. 2682f

SMITH BROS.

WANTED—One storeroom girl and two kitchen girls at Hotel Ransford. 2683f

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ASHES and rubbish hauled, cellars and yards cleaned. Phone 271 J. 3. Robert Brand. 2677f

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FOR SALE—New house and lot 100x150. One block from Lowell school. Only \$700. Cost more to build the house. Address Box 1177 Brainerd. 270tf

### THREE PERSONS PERISHED

Dozen Others Injured at a Fire in Montreal.

Montreal, Que., April 19.—Fire in the plant of the Canada steam laundry caused the loss of three lives, two men and a woman, and the injury of twelve others, one of whom, a woman, may die.

A quantity of benzine in the building caused the fire to burn furiously and to spread rapidly and a panic among the employees, of whom there were thirty women and ten men, resulted. A number of them jumped from windows and six women who had made their way to a fire escape on the third floor leaped to the ground before they could be rescued. When the flames were gotten under control the bodies of two men and a woman were found in the ruins burned beyond recognition. In the meantime about a dozen injured women and girls had been taken to the general hospital near by.

### "BLUE DEVILS"

Get Rid of Indigestion and Things Will Look Bright and Joyous

Even in the present era of prosperity and good times everything appears black to those people who are suffering wretchedly from some form of indigestion. Where digestion is quick, complete and easy there is a joyous and hopeful outlook, but indigestion causes depression.

The want of a safe, effective cure for sick headache, indigestion and stomach troubles, was always felt until the prescription known as Mi-o-na stomach tablets was put up in popular form and proved its invariable success in the many forms of indigestion.

After a few days use of Mi-o-na stomach tablets the headache, dizzy feeling, drowsiness, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, nervousness, sleeplessness, distress after eating—all these symptoms of a weak stomach—will disappear and perfect digestion and a good skin will show that the vital machinery is once more running smoothly.

Mi-o-na is to be taken before each meal and it will stimulate the secretory and digestive juices and strengthen the whole of the digestive system so that the unpleasant full feeling will be absent and indigestion prevented.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are sold only in a neat metal box convenient for the vestpocket and cost 50 cents. H. P. Dunn & Co. have seen so many cures made by Mi-o-na stomach tablets that they give a guarantee with every box that the money will be refunded if the remedy fails to give satisfaction. wtf3

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### Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy three and 33/100 (\$73.33) Dollars, which is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, in execution and delivered by Charles G. Simmons and Sarah A. E. Simmons his wife Mortgages, to Alexander R. Davidson Mortgage, bearing date the 5th day of November 1904, and with a power of sale thereon contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of November, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., in Book Z of Mortgages, on page 240.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Alexander R. Davidson, Mortgagee, to Ida F. Blach by written assignment dated the 15th day of December 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 5th day of December 1904, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book Y of Mortgages, on page 372, which mortgage and the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by said Ida F. Blach to W. N. Weiskopf by written assignment dated January 12 1905 and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, June 19, 1905 at 5 o'clock A. M., in Book Z of Mortgages on page 570.

And Whereas, The said W. N. Weiskopf the Assignee and Holder of said Mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is pursuant to said election and declaration actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One thousand two hundred ninety nine and 93/100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The North half of the North east quarter and North half of north west quarter, all in section Twelve (12) Township Forty-three (43) Range Thirty-two (32) in Crow Wing County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Crow Wing County, at the front door of the County Court House, in the city of Brainerd, in said County and State, on the 18th day of May 1906, at 2 o'clock P. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of 1299.93-00 Dollars, and hereof, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of fore-closure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 28th A. D. 1905.  
W. N. WEISKOPF, Mortgagee.  
A. P. BLANCHARD, Attorney,  
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